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- 2. (Unclassified DFM) Received a call from Laura Randall in the office of Representative John Breckinridge (D., Ky.) regarding an April 3rd Washington Post story by Victor Zorza entitled "Soviets Glitter in Gold." Zorza makes references to a CIA publication on Soviet hard currency reserves, and Congressman Breckinridge would like a copy of the report. I said I would inquire about the report and would call her about it next week.
- 3. (Internal Use Only DFM) Received a call from Colonel Vic Michol, who works for the Secretary of the Army out of an office in the Rayburn House Office Building. Michol said Congressman Larry McDonald (D., Ga.) had queried the Secretary of the Army whether an L. Fletcher Prouty was a retired Army colonel. Michol said they had no record of any such former officer and wondered if he might be associated in any way with CIA. In response to my inquiry with the Office of Personnel,

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called to report that Prouty was an Air Force colonel who has written a book quite critical of CIA. I passed the fact of Prouty's Air Force association along to Michol, and he was most appreciative.

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